

## House Resolution No. 2899

**Whereas**, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has distinguished herself through many years of excellence in the workplace; and

**Whereas**, Linda L. Spence, an esteemed resident of Unionville, Missouri, will officially retire from the Jackson County Circuit Court on August 1, 2004, after two years of exceptional service and dedication; and

**Whereas**, Linda Spence has successfully completed the many duties and tasks placed before her throughout her impressive tenure as a Judicial Administrative Assistant, prior to which time she served as the Deputy Circuit Clerk of Putnam County for sixteen years and as the Circuit Clerk of Putnam County for four years; and

**Whereas**, a former member of the Putnam-Sullivan Legal Secretaries Association and the Lions Club, Linda Spence is exceedingly proud of her affiliation with such important organizations as the Harmony and Grits Community Theater, the Keynotes singing group, and the Parkview Church of Christ; and

**Whereas**, Linda Spence looks forward to her retirement so that she can spend more quality time in the company of her wonderful family which includes her devoted husband, Terry Spence; her two children, Crystal Gardner and Jared Spence; her son-in-law, Bill Gardner; and her three grandchildren, Dustin, Ashlen, and Jayden:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in expressing our utmost appreciation to Linda Spence for her two years of unparalleled service to the Jackson County Circuit Court, and in wishing her the long, enjoyable retirement she so richly deserves; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Linda L. Spence.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Bryan Pratt  
District No. 55

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2899, adopted May 10, 2004.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker